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1. AMENDMENT

1.1 IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace original pages 7, 8, 14, 16, and 17 of the Specification with the replacement pages enclosed herewith. Applicants provide these amendments in response to the Examiner Action at page 2 concerning the use of abbreviated chemical names and Trademark product identifications. Applicants believe that these amendments do not introduce any new matter, and serve to more clearly describe the sources of commercially-available products, as well as provide the chemical formulae for various Good's buffers and Tween-20TM (see page 7, lines 24-30; page 8, lines 11-15; page 14, lines 14-15; page 16, lines 31-34; and page 17, lines 1-2).

If requested, Applicants will provide a marked-up copy highlighting each amendment.

1.2 IN THE CLAIMS:

Please formally cancel claims 51-58, without prejudice and without disclaimer as being drawn to the non-elected invention.

Please cancel claims 18 and 19 herein, without prejudice and without disclaimer.

Please amend claims 1, 5, 13, 15, 23, and 25 so that the amended text reads as follows:

- 1. (Amended) A composition comprising:
 - (a) at least a first compound of the formula:

RCONHCH2CH2OH